C. C. Camden Died Sunday in Buckingham

Charles Caldwell Camden, 83, commissioner of the revenue of Buckingham county for the past 44 years, died Sunday at 3 P. M. at his home at Gold Hill, Buckingham county, after a s illness of several weeks.

Mr. Camden was born in Buckingham county, September 11, 1856, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merriwether Lewis Camden, and had resided in the county his entire life. He was the oldest commissioner of the revenue in the State in point of service and had been re-elected without opposition last fall for another four year term.

His wife, Mrs. Etta Watson Nuckols Camden, died about six months ago. Married November 23, 1876, they had celebrated their diamond anniversary in 1936. He is survived by the following children: J. H., H. B. and D. L. Camden, of Richmond; T. N. Camden, of Farmville; Dr. A. B. Camden, of Roanoke; Dr. C. C. Camden, of Salem; and W. O. Camden, of Wilson, N. C; Mrs. R. R. Atkinson, of Gold Hill; Mrs. M. W. Nuckols, of Charlottesville; and Mrs. Joel Clark, of Hampton; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Roy Camden, who has acted as deputy commissioner since the death of her husband; 38 grand-children, and 13 great-grand-children.

Legislature considers bill to require doctor's examination before securing marriage license.

Have something you want to sell or trade? Try our Classified column.

Plan to begin work this summer on Surrender Grounds restoration.

Appomattox needs boosters.

Appomattox Lions Club will meet tonight.

Subscription rate: $1.50 per year, payable in advance.

Play safe: drive carefully.

Va. Public Service Man Gets Award

Charles A. Truchman, of Southboston, an engineer employed by the Virginia Public Service Company at Lynchburg, was awarded the National Safety Council medal for his part in saving the life of a fellow employee, he has also, been awarded the president's medal of the Associated Gas and Electric Company for his heroic deed. Mr. Truchman, by applying the Schafer prone pressure method of artificial respiration, was able to revive Walter H. Lewis, maintenance man at the Clover, Substation, Clover, Virginia, after the later had been rendered unconscious by electric shock in an accident which occurred at Clover on May 11, 1939.

The awards were made at a gathering of prominent South Boston citizens, company officials and company employees on Friday evening, January 19, 1940, at the South Boston high school.

When the accident occurred, Mr. Lewis was testing the operation of an oil circuit breaker on a 13,200 volt line at the Clover Substation. He was being helped by Edward C. Gibson, his assistant. Mr. Truchman, who had shortly before been made assistant operating engineer of the Southern Division, of the Virginia Public Service Company, was observing the test. Mr. Lewis had begun to connect the testing equipment to the circuit breaker, when he stepped back to call some instructions to Mr. Gibson, and in so doing stepped into a 13,200 lead on a transformer. He was severely shocked and thrown to the ground. Mr. Truchman heard the flash, rushed to the aid of the victim, and after pulling him into a clear space, applied artificial respiration in which he had been instructed by the company's safety directors. Mr. Gibson removed the victim's shirt, which had been set afire by the flash, and summoned assistance.

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Papers by Local English Class Students

The following contributions were sent in from The Creative English Class of the Appomattox high scohl:

Honoring Robert E Lee
(Birthday January 19)

I know you all remember, too,
Our Robert Edward Lee,
Who fought beneath the skies of blue,
To give us liberty.

The war began one morning bright,
But soon the field was red
With blood of those who had been brave,
The wounded and the dead.

Then came Lee at Virginia's need,
To aid the struggling South;
Astride old Traveller, faithful steed,
Fearing not the cannon's mouth.

Tho' victory he did not gain,
Honor, loyalty, and love
He gained from those who loved the cause—
He lives in heaven above!

Baynith Moore-'40

WASHDAY IN THE SKY

I saw the heavens cleansed with rain,
Saw washday in the sky;
I saw each angel take his robe
And hang it in the sun to dry.

I heard the whisper of the breeze
As it blew gently by,
"I give my aid to Father Sun
When it's washday in the sky."

—By Kitty Childers, '39

BROKEN FAITH

Judy looked overhead and sighed. The white clouds were spinning a web across the sky-- now thick, now thin, and the air was fresh and delicious with spring Easter Day!

What a day, she thought, for ending a life! It seemed designed for life and the living, not death and its ranks.

At this thought, however, she straightened up and quickened her pace. She might weaken before she had completed her plan.

She had lost faith in life and people...in everything. Even Frankfurter, her cat, had betrayed her trust. She most certainly had not expected Frankfurter to act human, but this morning when she had turned her back on the table for a moment, he had slyly taken a piece of meat. It had been too much for her.

As the river came in view, she quickened her pace still more and walked out on the footlog with sheer will power. As the water swirled beneath her, she wondered if, on this day of all the year, she should do the thing she had planned. A cowardly deed it would appear. Yes, she should!

She paused.. her whole life flashing through her mind.. then, into the water below, she threw the bag which contained Frankfurter and a rock. At it struck the water, a cry emerged and she knew that that was Frankfurter's last me-ow!

—By Kitty Cabell, '41

U. S. and Argentine abandon efforts to reach trade pact.

Renew your subscription. See the label on front page bearing your name for date your subscription ran out.

Report nation's birth rate lower.

Don't try to pass a car when you are approaching a hill or curve.

Russians lapse into inactivity on Finnish front after reverses.

Army will train 400 new air cadets.

Allies peg their currencies and agree to share war loans.

Tom Girdler says profit factor is vital in national economy.

Roosevelt continues to withhold third term intention.

Big battle looms in congress on reciprocal trade treaties.

U. S. exports 11 per cent off in November.

Soviet building new Black Sea-Baltic Canal.

Italy seeking to further friendships in Balkans.

Best Argument

From Raleigh News And Observer
The best Southern argument against the Federal anti-lynching law made during the present debate it was not made in Congress but in Mississippi. There determined officials used the State Guard to stop another threatened lynching.

If lynchings are prevented in the South—and the truth has a growing record of honor in their prevention—no persons out of the South will have valid reason for demanding the enactment of Federal anti-lynching laws which would penalize whole Southern communities for the barborous acts mobs in them.

Japan undergoes cab

Navy not favorable t of over 52,000 tons.

Roosevelt warns Da 1940 election to be d independent voters

Spain renews friend with France.

Among the many asse of Appomattox should be listed two strong banking institutions.

Sentinels of Health

Don't Neglect Them!

Nature designed the kidneys to do a marvelous job. Their task is to keep the blood stream free of the poisonous body impurities. The act of living—life itself—is constantly producing waste matter the kidneys must remove from the blood if good health is to endure. When the kidneys fail to function as Nature intended, there is retention of waste that may cause body-wide distress. Users report backache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, nervousness, dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes—feel tired, nervous, all worn out.

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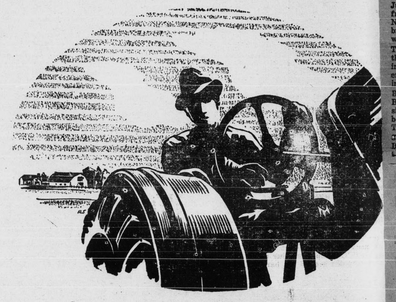

John Farmer Buys a TRACTOR!

When John Farmer's grandfather drove his claim stakes in the four corners of the homestead, he dreamed of a big barn to shelter the mules he'd need as power to farm his acres. Those were the days before advertising—when farming meant hard labor for every member of the family—every day of the year.

Now, John Farmer has just bought a new tractor to do the work of many mules. And the tractor performs myriad tasks that mules couldn't do. It runs the buzz saw, powers the feed mill, fills the silo.

Without the service of advertising John Farmer still would be farming with mules—using fertile acres to raise feed for them; devoting valuable hours every day caring for them.

How has advertising affected life on the farm? Without advertising, few farmers could afford tractors—few would have radios, electrified homes, automobiles, automatic refrigeration, motorized washing machines—and many other devices to save time and labor.

Advertising has brought about nation-wide sales, large-scale production and lower prices. Due to advertising the American Way of Living is not restricted to a fortunate few, but is open to all.

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Rocks Items

Rocky, Jan. 24.- Due to very cold weather only a small crowd was out to hear Rev. C.A. Collins Sunday morning at Rocks church.

Mrs. C. R. Ranson and son, William Carroll, spent Wednesday night in the home of Mrs. Frank Ranson.

Rev and Mrs. C. A. Collins were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Garrett Saturday night.

Mrs. Harry Ranson and daughter, Louise, spent a part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homsey Inge.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ranson and children visited her mother, Mrs. B. D. Dickerson last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Richardson, of Farmville, visited her mother, Mrs. D.R.Inge, last Sunday.

C. S. Ranson and Jim F. Ranson were in Lynchburg last Thursday selling tobacco.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhomy Wilson, Ernest Reno, and S. Garlinghouse, were at Appomattox Saturday afternoon.

A. A. Baldwin and Casele were in Farmville Monday selling tobacco.

Rev and Mrs. C. A. Collins were dinner guests of Mrs. Frank Ranso, last Sunday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ranson and son, William Carroll, and Miss Otts Ranson.

Toby Inge was in Lynchburg selling tobacco Monday.

Mr and Mrs. P.H. McPhillips and family, o fnear Pamplin, were to see her mother, Mrs. Sherman Garlinghouse, recently.

Stonewall

Stonewall, Jan. 24.- A.B.Chick is improving after a recent illness at his home here.

Miss Louise Turner, of Brickstone spent the week-end a t the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Turner. Miss Margaret Stratton was a guest in the same home Sunday.

Miss Jean Anderson, of Lynchburg, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Anderson.

The Y. W. A.'s of the Hebron Baptist church, met Tuesday evening with Miss Helen Scruggs. After a very interesting program, delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Miss Agnes Jennings, of Richmond spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G.P. Jennings. Mrs. Jennings is still confined to her home with an infected limb.

Mrs. Carsie Brown, of Lynchburg spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. O.R. Turner and daughters, motored to Farmville last Sunday.

Mrs. Lilly Drinkard has returned to her home at Beckham, after spending two weeks with her brother, A.B. Chick.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Board, of Appomattox, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Charlie Perdieu spent a few days recently in Blacksburg.

Miss Nellie Turner, spent Tuesday night with Mrs. Calvin Robinson at Appomattox.

Miss Elva Stratton, Mrs. George Cheatham and daughter, Nancy Pat, of Appomattox spent the week-end at their homes here.

Miss Doris Caldwell, of Naruna, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Caldwell.

Royal Harding, of Lynchburg, spent the week-end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stratton and family, of Appomattox, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ida Tayler.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Ferguson, and family, of Spout Spring, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McCormick.

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Locust Grove

Locust Grove, Jan. 24.- Mrs. Hamner Scruggs spent last Friday night with Mrs. Lizzie Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. C.T. Shoh, and children, of Lynchburg, spent Sunday with her father, G. W. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjie Beale spent last week-end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Robertson and children, of Lynchburg, spent Sunday afternoon with his parents, here. Thirty-two guests called in this home Sunday to see Mrs. Thompson and baby.

Mrs. P. A. Garrette is confined to bed with a fall.

Mrs. Willie Coleman is some better. Mrs. Iva Lewis, of Lynchburg is staying with her.

The community was so sorry to hear of Mrs. Alice Moon's death in Richmond. She was brought to her old home and buried in the family cemetery at E.M.Drinkards.

Mrs. J.K. Megginson's mother, Mrs. Minnie Morman fell last week on the ice, and broke her arm.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Thompson, a ten pound baby boy, Omar Lewis, January 16.

Herbert Carnefix, of Richmond, spent last week with his brother, Walker Carnefix.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Carnefix spent last Sunday with her parents, at Spout Spring.

Mrs. Ethel Garrette spent Friday with Mrs. Natalie Robertson.

Mrs. Robert Coffman spent Thursday in the same home.

Vera

Vera, Jan. 24.- Miss Edna Chernault spent last Thursday and Friday at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Chernault.

G. B. Barger and W. M. Bryant, Lynchburg, also spent last Thursday and Friday in this home.

Mr. and Mrs. R.H. Coleman spent Sunday with Mrs. Maude Abbitt.

Mrs. R.H. Coleman spent Monday in Lynchburg.

Friends are sorry to hear that Miss Hazel Coleman is sick again. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss Ethelyn Lee and Miss Thelma Cawthon, of Appomattox spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. A.B. Abbitt.

Mr. J. J. Chernault spent Sunday evening in the home of Mr. T. H. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. D.N. Robertson and children, spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Robertson.

Miss Betty Morris is sick with the flu.

Mrs. Ernest Rogers, of Appomattox taught school for her Monday.

Miss Ellen Wilson spent the week-end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Garrett, Jr., spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. T. P. Robertson.

FOUND: CLEOPATRA'S LOVE NEST

Archeologists have uncovered the luxurious villa in which Caesar installed Egypt's beautiful queen.Read about this "love nest" of history's great personalities in the February 4th issue of

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Deepest snow in generation covers Old Dominion.

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Appomattox is a growing town!

Prof. Crawley Finds Old Club Record Here

Professor L. Crawley dug down into his files this week and came up with a record established by the Boys' Corn Club of the Appomattox high school in 1912, quite a while ago, so perhaps most of our readers have forgotten about it.

The Appomattox Agricultural high school got out a school catalog in 1912, and the following is taken from it. The heading was "Appomattox Leads State in Corn Production," and the article follows:

"Appomattox is justly proud of her Boys' Corn Club. Most all of the boys belonging to this club are members of the school, though any boy may join. The club last year was so successful that the general average yield per acre among the boys was eight-yfour bushels higher than the yield of any other county.

The following yields were listed, the figure after each name representing the bushels per acre:

Jessie Davidson, 7 8|3
Strubbs Jennings, 108
William Owen, 124 1|2
George William Cheatham, 61 1|2
Wilmer Smith, 108 3|4
Charles Moses, 82 1|2
Karnesh Abbitt, 83
Kendall Hunter, 46
Leonard Caldwell, 60
Berkley Woolridge, 110 3|4
Thomas Turner, 114 1|2
George Turner, 102 1|8
Courtney Harvey, 95 1|4
O. Carson, 63
Adam Clement, 70 2|3
Wiley F. Moore, 70 2|3
Sam J. Harvey, 70
Gus Turner (broke record) 134.

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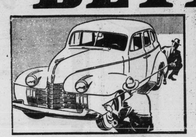

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They're wider! Oldsmobile bodies are bigger in all dimensions. More Safety Plate Glass area in windshield and windows increases visibility as well as safety. Even the lowest priced Olds is a bigger car.

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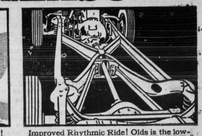

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